

# OFFICIAL TERMS & CONDITIONS

## Uride Female Founders Fund

BY APPLYING DURING THE FUND PERIOD, YOU AGREE TO BE LEGALLY BOUND BY THESE TERMS AND CONDITIONS (THE "TERMS"). PLEASE READ CAREFULLY BEFORE APPLYING.

NO PURCHASE IS NECESSARY TO APPLY OR RECEIVE FUNDING. A PURCHASE WILL NOT INCREASE YOUR CHANCES OF BEING SELECTED.

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## 1. Sponsor

The "Uride Female Founders Fund" (the "Fund Promotion") is sponsored by Uride Technologies Inc., 274 Algoma St. S., Thunder Bay, ON P7B 3C2 ("Uride" or the "Sponsor").

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## 2. Fund Promotion Period

The Fund Promotion begins on March 6, 2026 at 12:00:01 p.m. Eastern Time and ends on March 26, 2026 at 11:59:59 p.m. Eastern Time (the "Fund Promotion Period").

Internal shortlisting will occur each Tuesday during the Fund Promotion Period. Community voting, if applicable, may occur each Wednesday. Selected recipients will be announced each Thursday during the Fund Promotion Period.

Scheduled announcement dates:

- March 12, 2026
- March 19, 2026
- March 26, 2026

Sponsor reserves the right to modify timelines, voting procedures, or announcement dates in its sole discretion.

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### **3. Eligibility**

The Fund is open to individuals who meet all of the following requirements at the time of application and selection:

- Be a legal resident of Canada
- Be at least 18 years of age
- Self-identify as a woman entrepreneur
- Operate or intend to operate a business primarily located in a city where Uride is actively operating (each an “Eligible Uride City”)
- Not be an employee, contractor, officer, director, or immediate family member of Uride or its affiliated or related entities

Applicants may be required to provide proof of identity, business registration (if applicable), and proof of operation or intended operation in an Eligible Uride City upon request.

Failure to meet eligibility requirements may result in disqualification. Void where prohibited by law.

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### **4. How to Apply**

No purchase is necessary.

To apply, eligible applicants must complete the official application form and submit:

- Their story and description of their business or business idea
- A written explanation of how the \$5,000 funding would be used
- A one-minute elevator pitch video

Limit one application per business or individual.

Submission of an application does not guarantee shortlisting or selection.

Applications that are incomplete, false, misleading, late, lost, misdirected, or otherwise irregular may be disqualified at the sole discretion of the Sponsor. Proof of submission does not constitute proof of receipt.

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## 5. Selection Process

Each week during the Fund Promotion Period:

- The Uride internal team will review eligible applications and shortlist up to three (3) applicants.
- Shortlisted applicants may be presented for community voting, if applicable.
- Voting methods will be determined by Sponsor in its sole discretion.

Final selection is subject to verification and approval by Sponsor in its sole discretion.

Sponsor reserves the right to modify, limit, suspend, or eliminate public voting at any time. Sponsor may disqualify any applicant found to be tampering with the application or voting process.

All decisions by Sponsor are final and binding.

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## 6. Funding

Three (3) recipients will each receive CAD \$5,000 (the "Funding").

The Funding:

- Is non-transferable
- Must be accepted as awarded
- May not be substituted except at Sponsor's discretion
- Must be used for legitimate business-related purposes

All federal, provincial, and municipal taxes associated with receipt of Funding are the sole responsibility of the recipient.

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## **7. Recipient Notification & Verification**

Selected applicants will be notified using the contact information provided.

Before being confirmed as a recipient, selected applicants may be required to:

- Provide valid proof of identity
- Provide proof of business ownership or intended operation in an Eligible Uride City
- Sign and return a Declaration of Eligibility and Liability/Publicity Release

Failure to respond or provide required documentation may result in forfeiture and selection of an alternate recipient.

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## **8. Publicity & Social Media**

This Fund Promotion is not sponsored, endorsed, administered by, or associated with Facebook, Instagram, TikTok, or any other social media platform.

By applying, and if selected, accepting a grant, applicants give permission to the Sponsor to use their name, city, submitted story, business details, photographs, and video content for promotional, publicity, and recognition purposes on social media platforms including Instagram, TikTok, Facebook, and other digital or traditional media, without additional compensation, except where prohibited by law.

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## **9. General Conditions**

Sponsor reserves the right to cancel, suspend, or modify the Fund Promotion if fraud, technical failures, or any other factor beyond its reasonable control impairs the integrity or proper functioning of the Fund.

All applicable federal, provincial, and municipal laws apply. These Terms are governed by the laws of the Province of Ontario and the federal laws of Canada applicable therein.

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## **10. Limitation of Liability**

By participating, applicants release and hold harmless Uride, its affiliates, and their respective directors, officers, employees, and agents from any liability arising from participation in the Fund Promotion or acceptance and use of Funding, except where prohibited by law.

Sponsor is not responsible for technical failures, lost applications, voting interruptions, or unauthorized human intervention.

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## **11. Privacy**

Personal information collected will be used solely for administering the Fund Promotion, verifying eligibility, selecting recipients, and exercising publicity rights described herein, and will otherwise be handled in accordance with Uride's Privacy Policy and applicable privacy laws.

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## **12. Severability**

If any provision of these Terms is found to be invalid or unenforceable, the remaining provisions shall remain in full force and effect.